MEMORANDUM

TO: Service List

FROM: William H. Stevens, Jr., Hearing Officer

RE: Petition of the City of Cambridge, D.T.E. 04-65

Request for Joint Proposed Procedural Schedule

DATE: October 27, 2004

CC: Mary Cottrell, Secretary

Staff as assigned

On June 16, 2004, the City of Cambridge ("Cambridge" or "City"), pursuant to G.L. c. 164, § 34A(d), filed a petition to resolve a dispute between the City and Cambridge Electric Light Company ("CELC" or "Company") ("Petition"). On June 30, 2004, the Company filed a response to the Petition ("Response"). On August 26, 2004, the City submitted a letter stating that it has "narrowed the issues in dispute" in this proceeding, along with an edited copy of the Petition. On September 20, 2004, I issued a Hearing Officer Memorandum stating that, following a discussion on certain deficiencies in the Petition and Response, Cambridge and CELC agreed to submit amended filings.

On October 4, 2004, the City filed an amended petition ("Amended Petition") including five exhibits, and the testimony of Paul Chernick with four attachments. On October 19, 2004, the Company filed a response to the Amended Petition ("Amended Answer") including the Affidavit of Christine L. Vaughan and two related exhibits.

I request that Cambridge and CELC submit a joint proposed procedural schedule no later than November 2, 2004. Unless Cambridge and CELC agree otherwise, I also request that the procedural schedule provide that the record in this proceeding close no later than December 13, 2004.